

## An Expansion and Betterment Sale Begins This Week—A Vast Mercantile Movement With a Host of Remarkable Values.

We must have more room—Our fast increasing trade demands it—So we have decided to remove our large Dress Making Department, which now occupies half the floor space on the second floor of our building, to beautiful and new quarters on the third floor. We will tear down all the fixtures on the second floor and construct a large addition to the Cloak, Suit and Upholstery Departments. The entire second floor must be turned over to the contractors in two weeks. This means that the stock contained in the Cloak Room, including Cloth Suits, Separate Skirts, Shirt Waists, Shirt Waist Suits, Infants' Dresses, Furs Draped, Curtains and Upholstery Goods of all sorts, must be moved out and that space elsewhere in the store must be encroached upon. We propose to reduce our inconvenience to a minimum by promptly closing out a large part of the stocks affected.

At Prices That Are in Many Cases Far Below Usual Wholesale Cost.

The entire second floor will be re-arranged. The departments will have bright new fixtures, and in most cases, new locations. These changes will affect some of our very largest and most important stocks, and these stocks are to be reduced in volume as much as possible in anticipation of the general re-adjustment of space and location. Beginning to-morrow therefore we will begin a great merchandise movement which, for want of a more excessive title, we shall call "an expansion and betterment sale." For expansion of space compels the rebuilding, and the better serving of our customers will be attended by the re-adjustment of the second floor departments. The sale will be an event of interest to every one of our customers and to the public generally. Every department will have something to offer far under value. Some of the lots perhaps will be too small to advertise. It will be well to come and look through the store every day.

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### The Smart Set Taken In.

For several months there has been in Paris a man by the name of Glenn, a good talker, a good dresser, and all round sport. It was said that he was interested in a number of slot machines. Anyway, he whispered into the ears of a few of our leading sports of a "good thing" he was going to pull off last week at St. Louis. It was a plausible story, for it was known that he pulled off one last year and won a large amount of money, and was also ruled off the track.

These local wise men put their friends next. Glenn did not want to handle the money, but insisted that a man be sent from Paris with it to Chicago, where it would be put on in the hand books there. Not a dollar was to be bet on the horse in St. Louis. A collection was taken up very secretly here and \$1,900 was raised and the committee of the wisest of the wise men of the West was sent to Chicago with the roll about the middle of the week. Nothing was heard from them until yesterday. And a sorry tale it is to relate. The Committee was trying to get the money on, but the hand-book men would not take it in a lump. Glenn then stepped up and said: "Come with me, I'll show you where you can get it all on." The limbs followed the shepherd into an elegantly furnished place with all the appearances of a pool-room. The man handed them a ticket for \$29,000 to \$1,900. Imagine the feelings of the lambs, for it was a cinch bet. The race was over and the committee returned to the room, and lo, and behold! the furniture had been changed and it looked like another place altogether—the men even were not the ones they bet with. To the police they flew and had two men arrested and placed in jail. They sent one member of the committee home to explain, but he stopped in Lexington and said there he would stay until the rest of the gang arrived, as he would not return home alone. By the way, it is said that Glenn took nine hurdles and the water jump and showed an electrical burst of speed on the flats and "win easy."

Thus ended a sad story, but one for much reflection.

NONE BETTER.—The celebrated Nettle-ton Shoes have been sold here for years, and you will find none better in style or quality. GEO. MCWILLIAMS.

### Two Good Games.

The Maysville Base Ball Club arrived Sunday morning to play two games with the Paris Club, Sunday and Monday. The Maysville boys are a set of young gentlemen, every one of them, and we think they can truly say they were treated as such by the Paris boys, who did everything to make their visit to this city a pleasant one.

#### SUNDAY'S GAME.

This was the fastest and most exciting game of ball witnessed in Paris for several years. All those who witnessed it pronounced it the best amateur game they had ever seen.

The Paris boys took the lead in the second inning and held it throughout the game. The score stood 3 to 2 for six innings and for a time things were not looking quite as pleasant for the Paris players as it should have been, but in the seventh they made two runs and in the ninth the boys from Mason managed to score in one, making a score of 5 to 3.

The Maysville team has some good players and they did some excellent fielding, but as for batters they seem to be lacking, as Cooper made fourteen fan the wind. The Paris team has been greatly strengthened by the addition of Spears on third, and with the old players they now have a good team. The score by innings is as follows:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Maysville	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Paris	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	5

Batteries: Paris, Cooper and Dempsey; Maysville, Howell and Burnett. Errors, Maysville 6, Paris 4. Struck out by Cooper 14, Howell 1. Hit by Cooper 3, Howell 2. Hits, Maysville 3, Paris 6. Two base hits, Paris 1. Umpires, James and Duncan. Attendance good.

#### MONDAY'S GAME.

The game yesterday was a repetition of Sunday's—fast ball playing from start to finish. Linville, who pitched the first seven innings, held Maysville down with three hits, and as he seemed to be getting weak, Cooper was put in the box. Linville held out exceedingly well considering the practice he has had. Seven hits were secured from Dinger. Good fielding on both sides. The score:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Maysville	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Paris	0	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	5

Batteries: Paris, Linville, Cooper and Dempsey; Maysville, Dinger and Burnett. Hits—Paris 7, Maysville 3. Errors—Paris 5, Maysville 7. Two base hits—Paris 1. Umpire, James. Attendance 300.

### It Was a Shame, Poor King.

The unusual sight of a real King surrounded by a retinue of servants and his Private Secretary being forced to ride in the colored or "Jim Crow" compartment of a railway train was witnessed at Lexington Friday afternoon, when King Ronbooye, claiming to be at the head of the South Sea Islands, passed through en route to Chattanooga and the South. When seen at the depot the King was crying as if his heart would break at the humiliation of being compelled to ride in the negro compartment. He refused to be interviewed, but from his Secretary it was learned that the party had intended spending several weeks in the South, but finding the Southern railroads so uncharitable in their treatment, they would likely return to the St. Louis World's Fair within the next few days. The King was dressed in knickerbrockers, white stockings without shoes, and wide green sashes tied around his waist, and tried in every way to hide from view of the crowd of curious sightseers who had gathered to see him. He should have wired Frank Remington, the negro sympathizer of Paris Democrat, who would have had things arranged to suit his majesty.

### The New York Special's Through Run From Cincinnati.

Under new time tables, "The New York Special" leaves Cincinnati 1:15 p. m. daily with Drawing Room Sleeping Car through to New York, arriving 8:15 a. m.; Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington passengers changing at Pittsburgh. For further information inquire of C. H. Hagerty, D. P. Agt., Louisville, Ky.

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